

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

August 11, 2017



The National Preparedness Level for fire has been raised to its highest level (Level 5) as of 08/10/17.

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National Terrorism Advisory System



SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Level 1	Level 1	Level 1	Level 1

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

Significant Events, San Francisco, San Francisco County

Several major events will be taking place in the City between 08/11/17 through 08/13/17

- Events are in held different areas of the city and on different days, but many of their operational times overlap
- The Outside Lands Music Festival is scheduled at Golden Gate Park in San Francisco the weekend of Friday, 08/11/17 through Sunday, 08/13/17. Event participants should consider taking public transportation to the festival. Motorists are advised to expect major delays on city streets in the outer Sunset / Richmond Districts and to take alternate routes this weekend.
- Cal OES Coastal Duty Officer and San Francisco County Department of Emergency Management will be monitoring the events
- There are no EOC activations scheduled at this time.
- There are no requests for state assistance.

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- See Fire Activity Slides

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

National Trails Highway Monsoonal Storm Damage, San Bernardino County

Request for Caltrans Office of Structure Investigations and Hydraulics Unit to provide bridge and hydraulic inspectors to inspect the damaged bridges and update bridge report insufficiency ratings.

- Caltrans District 8 will fill the request between 08/11/17 through 08/17/17

Mission Tasking

- 2017-Southern-38021
- See Fire Activity Slides

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 5	Preparedness Level 4	Preparedness Level 3
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 3	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Island, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County

Location: 14 miles W of Etna, Marble Mountain Wilderness

Jurisdiction: FRA

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/11/17 at 0741 hours:

- 1,470 acres, 21% contained
- Expected Containment: 10/01/17
- [Monitor fire activity and patrol](#)

Orleans Complex, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County

Location: Ukonom Mountain and Siskiyou Wilderness

Jurisdiction: FRA

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/11/17 at 0741 hours:

- 5,264 acres, 14% contained
- Expected Containment: 09/30/17
- [1 minor structure threatened](#)
- Line construction and structure protection of Ukonom Mountain Lookout

Mission Tasking

2017-Coastal-37716: [Air Quality Monitors deployed to Humboldt County – On Scene](#)



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FIRE ACTIVITY

Clear, Vegetation Fire, Siskiyou County

Location: Northeast of community of Goleta near Cachuma Lake

Jurisdiction: FRA

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/11/17 at 0741 hours:

- 6,553 acres, 62% contained
- Expected Containment: 09/01/17
- Patrol and mop up

Parker 2, Vegetation Fire, Modoc County

Location: Parker Creek Rd, 12 miles E of Alturas

Jurisdiction: DPA, FRA, Modoc National Forest

Type 2 IMT

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/11/17 at 0741 hours:

- 7,968 acres, 45% contained
- Expected Containment: 08/13/17
- 415 single residences threatened
- 1 other minor structure destroyed
- Line construction and improvement – Night Shift suspended.
- The wetting of the fuels minimized any observed fire behavior.
- Fire behavior observed is best characterized as creeping and smoldering.

Deployments

1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief assigned

Resources

- 10 Local Government engines assigned
- 10 OES engines assigned

FIRE ACTIVITY

Modoc July Complex, Vegetation Fires, Modoc County

Location: Northern Modoc National Forest

Jurisdiction: FRA

Type 1 IMT

Start Date: 07/24/17

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/11/17 at 0741 hours:

- 83,120 acres, 93% contained
- Expected Containment: 08/16/17
- 156 single residences threatened
- The predicted thunderstorms, lightning strikes and the potential for numerous new fire starts could pose a control problem for fire fighters.
- Strong and erratic winds associated with the thunderstorms can impede control efforts near the fires edge.
- Potential remains for lightning related initial attack activity within the Complex boundary, but nothing significant as of yet

Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chiefs assigned
- 2 Cal OES Public Safety Communications (PSC) Technicians assigned
- 1 Cal OES Support Unit assigned

FIRE ACTIVITY

Minerva 5, Vegetation Fire, Plumas County

Location: Forest Rd. 24N26, 3 miles SW of Quincy, CA

Jurisdiction: FRA

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/11/17 at 0741 hours:

- 4,310 acres, 98 % contained
- Expected Containment: 08/11/17
- 300 single residences, 20 multiple residences, 15 mixed commercial/residential, 10 nonresidential commercial property, 50 other minor structures threatened
- Hot areas continue to be extinguished

Deployment

- 1 Cal OES Fire and Rescue Branch Assistant Chief assigned

Ruth Complex, Vegetation Fire, Trinity County

Location: Dutchman Rd, 7 miles East of Zenia

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA

Start time: 08/07/17 at 2233 hours

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/11/17 at 0741 hours:

- 1,370 acres, 10% contained
- Expected Containment 09/01/2017
- Fire is impacting Mad River and Ruth Lake area

FIRE ACTIVITY

Empire, Vegetation Fire, Mariposa County

Location: 1 Mile South Bridalveil Creek Campground

Jurisdiction: FRA

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/11/17 at 0741 hours:

- 750 acres, 0% contained
- Expected Containment: 10/31/17
- Hold and improve existing lines and trails

Mission Tasking

- 2017-Inland-37776 – 2 Air Monitors for Mariposa County

Butte, Vegetation Fire, Madera County

Location: Inside the Ansel Adams Wilderness area

Jurisdiction: FRA

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/11/17 at 0741 hours:

- 450 acres, 10% contained
- No expected containment date

Indian Incident, Vegetation Fire, Tulare County

Location: 2 miles N of Jordan Hot Springs

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA

- 700 acres, 1% contained
- Expected Containment 09/30/2017
- 3 minor structures threatened
- Air and hand crews, indirect tactics

Whittier, Vegetation Fire, Santa Barbara County

Location: Lake Cachuma area, south of Hwy 154

Jurisdiction: Federal DPA, FRA, Los Padres National Forest

Per Cal OES Duty Officers and ICS-209 as of 08/11/17 at 0741 hours:

- 18,430 acres, 87% contained
- Expected Containment: 08/30/17
- 16 single residences and 30 minor structures destroyed
- 1 residential and 6 minor structures damaged
- Mop up, patrol, improve existing lines

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes

- There are no Lifeline Route Closures at this time.

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- There are many non-lifeline closures throughout the state. Please visit the Caltrans Road Conditions page for the most current information.

Wildfire Closures:

- There are no Wildfire Closures at this time.

Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no Emergency Center Activations at this time.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



Click on the Caltrans Logo to check
current highway conditions.
You can also call 1-800-427-7623 for
current highway conditions.



California 911 System

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

Service Interruptions:

- [None Reported](#)

Remote/Community Isolations:

- [None Reported](#)

CDPH ZIKA VIRUS UPDATE

EXECUTIVE SUMMARY

The Medical and Health Coordination Center (MHCC) continues to be activated in response to Zika virus disease. The California Department of Public Health (CDPH) and Emergency Medical Services Authority (EMSA) are currently the only Emergency Function 08 (EF 08) partners at the state level reporting on this activation.

The MHCC is coordinating with EF 08 partners, healthcare facilities and local health departments (LHDs) to ensure responses to inquiries are timely and accurate.

CDPH and EMSA Duty Officer Programs are monitoring Zika virus disease after hours and communicating with the Regional Disaster Medical and Health Coordination (RDMHC) and the Medical Health Operational Area Coordination (MHOAC) Programs throughout California.

As of Friday, 08/04/17, there have been 584 travel-associated Zika virus infections in California. This number reflects an increase of 9 from the 575 cases reported on the last situation report dated 07/27/17. CDPH centers and programs continue to monitor Zika virus disease and provide information to the MHCC related to their specific activities on a weekly basis.

Please see attached for full report

WEATHER OF CONCERN

Weather of Concern

- Mountain and desert thunderstorms are possible over Southern California this afternoon, thanks to a push of monsoonal moisture.
- The best chances for storms will be over the eastern San Bernardino Mountains, Santa Rosa Mountains, and near Mt. Laguna.

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

- <https://alerts-v2.weather.gov/counties/CA>

WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

Slight Chance of Late Day Thunderstorms Siskiyou County today, and near OR State Line Saturday
Drier with a Increasing SW-W Wind Higher Terrain and Cascade-Sierra Crest-East Next Few Days will Increase Chance of Activating Holdover Fires, Especially Sunday

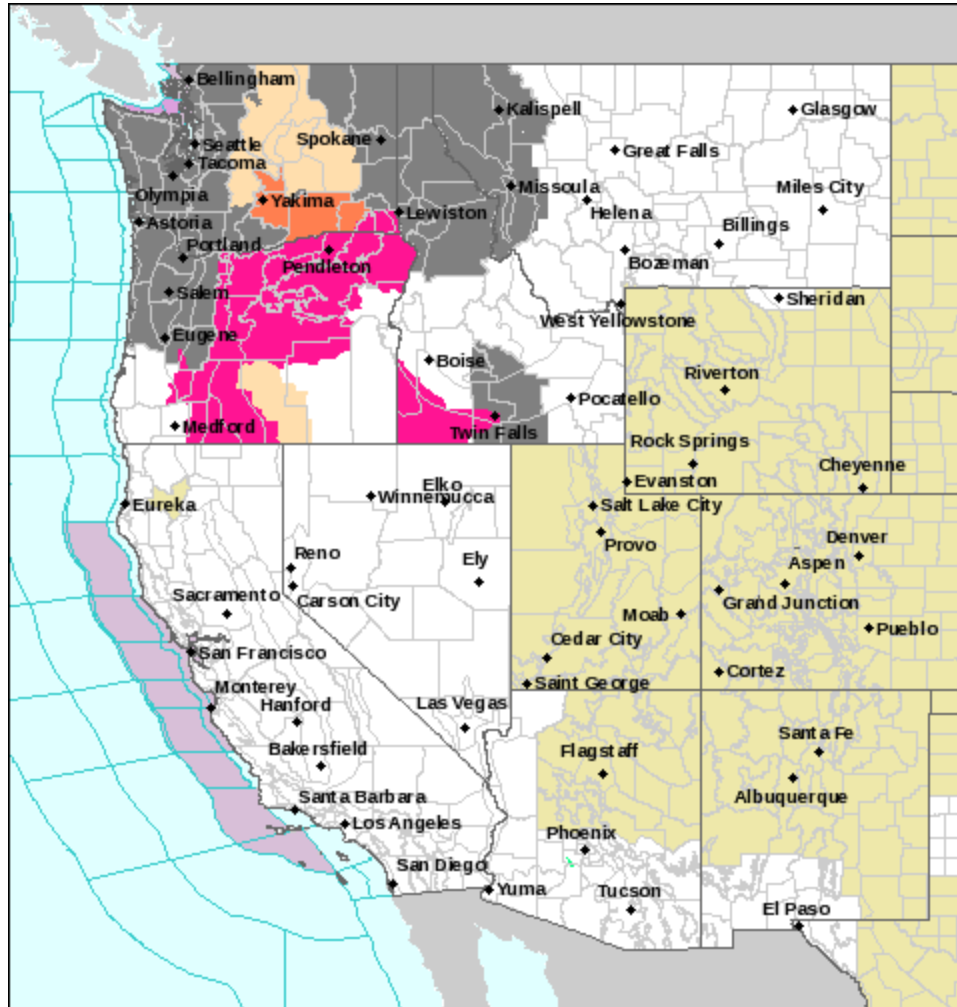
Most of the showers and thunderstorms will be out of Northern California today, but Siskiyou County still has a slight chance of isolated afternoon activity. Any storms are likely to produce locally heavy rain and some hail. Saturday will be similar, but Modoc County will also have a slight chance of showers or thunderstorms. The low causing all the thunderstorm activity in recent days is moving off to the E and NE as SW-W flow increases over the region in response to a stronger incoming low pressure system. The increase in sunshine and wind and the expected lower relative humidity (RH) will allow holdover fires from recent lightning to emerge and begin to spread, especially on Sunday. Afternoon winds over the higher terrain and in all areas east of the Cascade-Sierra crest will gust to around 25 mph with minimum RH 15-25% today and Saturday, with gusts increasing to 30 mph with similar RH on Sunday. Lighter winds out of the NW-N are expected Monday, but on Tuesday winds will gust to 25 mph or so out of the SW-W again as dry conditions continue

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

Moisture coming from the south will bring scattered showers and thunderstorms to the mountains and deserts of Southern California east of I-15 this afternoon. This moisture will move to the east causing shower and thunderstorm activity to only occur only near the Colorado River Saturday before ending entirely Sunday. Temperatures will remain near to a little above normal through this weekend as a trough sits over Northern California and high pressure remains off the Northern Baja Coast. Maximum temperatures will be in the 80s to low 90s across the mountains and 90s to 102 in the valleys. Westerly afternoon winds of 15 to 25 mph with gusts to 40 mph will surface across the desert passes through this weekend. The Pacific trough over Northern California will drop south early next week bringing a little below normal temperatures to the area through Wednesday. This trough will also cause westerly winds to increase to 20 to 30 mph with gusts to 50 mph across the wind prone mountain and desert areas early next week. Minimum humidity will be mainly between 15% and 30% above and inland from the marine layer through the middle of next week. The trough will move off to the east and high pressure over Baja will strengthen bringing near to a little above normal temperatures to the region once again late next week.



WEATHER MAP



- [Gale Warning](#)
- [Red Flag Warning](#)
- [Heat Advisory](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Fire Weather Watch](#)
- [Air Quality Alert](#)
- [Hazardous Weather Outlook](#)



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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Ongoing Cal OES Law Missions

- **2017-LAW-37928, 08/08/17**, At approximately 1600 hours, Cal OES Law Duty Officer (LDO) made contact with the California Air National Guard on behalf of the Fresno County Sheriff's Office. The contact regarded a recovery mission which has been on-going for approximately one week. Two Individuals were involved in a fatal vehicle accident on HWY 180 approximately 500' into a river gorge on the Upper Kings River. The rugged terrain and high waters are hindering recovery efforts and therefore consultation from the National Guard was being sought for potential assistance. The National Guard and their subject matter experts will be meeting in Fresno and then performing a reconnaissance flight to the site for evaluation. **UPDATE: 8/09/17, 2100 hours**, The National Guard reported that they were unable to satisfactorily evaluate the recovery mission with the Blackhawk Helicopter they arrived in and will re-engage on 08/10/17 with a Chinook Helicopter. **UPDATE: 8/10/2017, 1400 hours**, [CNG's consultation continuing](#). **Mission Ongoing.**

Closed Cal OES Missions

- **2017-LAW-38007, 8/10/2017, 1157 hours**, [Fresno County Sheriff's Office EOD](#) requesting the assistance of CA ANG 144th out of Lemoore Naval Base to assist in disposal of live older military ordinance. LDO coordinated with CA ANG 144th, who accepted the mission. LDO notified the CNG JOC of the mission request. **Update:** At 1552 hours, Fresno County Sheriff's Office EOD advising mission completed. **Mission Closed.**

Cal OES MISSION TASKING

Cal OES Missions

- **2017-SOC-36209:** Two Public Assistance (PA) Coordinators from the state of New Jersey have been assigned to California through the Emergency Management Assistance Compact (EMAC) system. **UPDATE:** Two PA Coordinators (Team 2) began providing support at the Sacramento JFO beginning 07/31/17.
 - One Public Assistance Coordinator from the State of Colorado will provide support to the Sacramento JFO beginning 08/14/17 through 08/27/17.
- **2017-Cal OES-35819:** Twelve Caltrans engineers requested to conduct damage and site inspections throughout the state for impacts related to 2017 February Winter Storms. The lead engineer will report to the Joint Field Office to coordinate the response.
- **2017-SOC-37393:** Mission for air monitoring from the ARB (Tuolumne OA) - [Closed](#)
- **2017-Inland-37583:** DTSC Hazardous Waste Task Force (Mariposa OA)
- **2017-Inland-37584:** CalRecycle Debris Management Task Force (Mariposa OA)



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Mission:

We protect lives and property, build capabilities, and support our communities for a resilient California.

We achieve our mission by serving the public through effective collaboration in preparing for, protecting against, responding to, recovering from, and mitigating the impacts of all hazards and threats.